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Freedom Schools Summer Finale Waiver

Freedom Schools are a program initiative of the Children's Defense Fund designed to promote self-esteem, increase literacy, and to reduce the educational gap that many students experience during the summer months. In 2011, four Freedom School sites operated in the Second Supervisorial District and will celebrate the conclusion of a successful program at a Summer Finale event on Saturday, August 13 at the Lower Olympic Forest area of Kenneth Hahn Park. The event will include collaboration between the Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation, the Los Angeles County Public Library, and the Children's Defense Fund to recognize the staff and scholars of the four Freedom Schools sites in the Second District.

I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS waive the parking fees of \$6.00 per car for 40 vehicles at Kenneth Hahn Park for the Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools Summer Finale on August 13, 2011.

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